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The Work in Compressed Air (Amendment) Regulations, 1960

Made - - - -	*26th July*, 1960
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Coming into Operation	*14th August*, 1960

The Minister of Labour by virtue of the powers conferred on him by sections 46 and 60 of the Factories Act, 1937(a), section 8 of the Factories Act, 1948(b), and of all other powers enabling him in that behalf, hereby makes the following special Regulations:—

1. These Regulations may be cited as the Work in Compressed Air (Amendment) Regulations, 1960, and shall come into operation on the fourteenth day of August, 1960.

2.—(1) The Interpretation Act, 1889(c), shall apply to the interpretation of these Regulations as it applies to the interpretation of an Act of Parliament.

(2) In these Regulations "the principal Act" means the Factories Act, 1937, as amended by or under any other Act.

3. The following paragraph shall be substituted for paragraph (1) of Regulation two of the Work in Compressed Air Special Regulations, 1958(d), that is to say—

"(1) These Regulations shall apply as respects work in compressed air carried out therein—

(*a*) to all factories; and

(*b*) to all premises, places, processes, operations and works to which the provisions of Part IV of the principal Act with respect to special regulations for safety and health are applied by sections 103 to 108 of that Act."

Dated this 26th day of July, 1960.

Edward Heath,
Minister of Labour.

EXPLANATORY NOTE

(*This Note is not part of the Regulations, but is intended to indicate their general purport.*)

These Regulations extend the scope of the Work in Compressed Air Special Regulations, 1958, so as to make those Regulations apply not only to work in compressed air carried out in works of engineering construction but also to work in compressed air carried out in any factory and in any other premises or place to which the Factories Act, 1937, applies.

(a) 1 Edw. 8 & 1 Geo. 6. c. 67.
(b) 11 & 12 Geo. 6. c. 55.
(c) 52 & 53 Vict. c. 63.
(d) S.I. 1958/61 (1958 I, p. 1115).